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## MEETINGS

THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL of South Qu'Appelle meets the first Monday of each month. The Secretary-Treasurer will be in the office to attend to business every Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Applications for Transient Traders' Licenses, to Rent the Town Hall, and for Interventions in the Couriers, must be made to Frank Adams, J. C. STARR, Sec.-Treas.

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## SIFTON AT REGINA SATURDAY NIGHT.

### Extracts About the Territories

Lack of space prevents us giving more than a few extracts from Hon. Clifford Sifton's speech at Regina. His remarks on the Territories are of deep interest at this time.

Saturday night town hall meeting was easily the most successful political meeting that Regina has seen within ten years.

President W. G. Pettigell of the Regina Reform Association introduced the speakers with brief but happy remarks.

### HON. CLIFFORD SIFTON

was greeted with warmth. He alluded to this being his first opportunity of addressing a public meeting at Regina. He deemed it important that the course of the Government of which his colleague and himself were members should be fairly presented and explained before the people of so important a centre as the capital of the Territories.

Three years ago the interests within the sphere of the Minister of the Interior were placed in his charge.

Everything requiring Government attention arising in the country between Lake Superior and the Pacific Ocean was more or less referred to himself and it was in reality almost impossible to give due attention to all the questions. However in the three years he had been in charge he was not conscious of having in any instance wilfully or knowingly failed to do the very best he could. (Applause).

The very first important thing he had taken up was in connection with the Territorial local government. He had recommended that its scope be extended, and that it be put on a proper constitutional basis. At the same time he had succeeded in obtaining for the Territorial local government an increase of subsidy of some \$40,000, and had the manner of its payment so re-arranged as to enable the local government to properly calculate their programme in advance to some extent as was necessary, in other words to formulate a continuous policy. He fully recognized that the problem of

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must be faced at an early date. The population was rapidly augmenting, and certainly if the Northwest was to become what was expected, namely, the mainstay of the Dominion, it was a patent fact that a people must be placed in position to properly and satisfactorily establish and maintain their local institutions, and enabled to carry on the systems of education, public works, etc., that were necessary. He quite recognized that this was a question that must be taken up at an early date. He could say that he well appreciated the responsibilities of the local government in a country having the conditions and problems of the Territories. He thought that within the last three years at all events western interests and questions had secured a fair share of attention. It was fair that they should take their turn. There were a number

of important western questions that were in process of settlement as rapidly as Parliament could deal with them. One of these was the liability of certain farmers in connection with seed grain indebtedness, a question that had caused much anxiety and difficulty. At last session a measure of relief was obtained. There were phases of the question that still awaited settlement, and these he hoped to get Parliament to deal with later.

He had been criticised very indiscriminately with respect to the question of

### ELEVATOR RESTRICTIONS.

Bills dealing with the subject had been introduced last year and this year by Dr. Douglas. In the House he (Mr. Sifton) spoke in favor of certain provisions of the Bill providing for the inspection and regulation of elevators, and then suggested that the Bill be referred to a special committee that it might be thoroughly and fairly considered. His suggestion was adopted, and a special committee was appointed by the House. Before the committee an immense amount of evidence was submitted—very conflicting evidence; so conflicting indeed that it became impossible to expect that the House would pass the Bill. His advice then was that the part of the Bill about which there was not such a great difference of opinion be reported to the House, and the part respecting the warehouses be left for further investigation. He proposed that they take steps for a thorough enquiry. This was the course he suggested, and which the government had taken, and he believed it was the only course by which a proper and entirely satisfactory settlement could be reached.

## WAR NEWS.

Monday, Nov. 13.

Escomet, Nov. 9.—H a y firing is now proceeding in the direction of Ludsmith. It began at day break. Some of the reports are so much heavier than any previously heard as to lead to the belief that the British naval guns are in action. Afternoon.—A party which rode out several miles to observe the bombardment of Ludsmith could see a "Long Tom," a forty pounder, posted on the railway side of the bulwark and firing at intervals of six or eight minutes, and another gun was observed in operation a little distance away. The locality of the town was nothing but a haze of smoke. Cape Town News received from Mafeking dated says that on Monday the Boers shelled the town. One Boer was knocked out of action and the Boers retired; were re-embarked and attacked again and were repulsed. Tuesday they shelled the town again with little damage. Wednesday there was a general attack under cover of artillery but were repulsed by the Maxim and Hotchkiss guns. The Boer loss was fifty killed; the British loss was slight. Thursday the shelling by a heavy gun was renewed and the Boers massed with the intention of attacking but were prevented by a thunder storm. Friday there was snail fire and an occasional shell but little loss of life.

London war office issued the following dispatch this afternoon from Gen. Buller dated at Cape Town, Nov. 11.—Col Kekewich, British commander at Kimberley, reports that the enemy is very active, principally with object of driving off cattle. The Orange Free State troops retired rapidly before Col Turner without firing. The Transvaal troops advanced on Keilworth, and Maj. Penkman with a squadron of the Kimberley Light Horse was hiding in the bush and gave the enemy a warm reception, and the Boers retired firing.

London, 12.—The Allan Line (Continued on Valley Echo page)

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## ANDERSON ACQUITTED.

The Jury deliberated Ninety Minutes and Returned a Verdict "Not Guilty."

Winnipeg Nov. 8.—After facing his accusers for eight days John W. Anderson the ex-Molson's bank clerk charged with robbing the Winnipeg branch of \$2,000 in October, 1898, was pronounced "not guilty" by the twelve "good men and true," empanelled for the purpose of judging his case.

It was 12.55 yesterday when the jury, after being absent from the court room, filed in and took their places in the box. A death-like silence prevailed while the roll was being called, and when Mr. Wilson asked the question: "Gentlemen of the jury have you agreed on a verdict?" a pin dropping on the floor could have been heard.

"We have," answered the foreman. "Guilty or not guilty?"

"Not guilty."

Then the crowd broke loose and cheer after cheer rent the air. Anderson's brothers and friends who were near the box went in to castakes of joy and fairly lifted the roof. It took the sheriff several minutes to restore order and when he did so and Anderson walked out of the dock, the cheering was again taken up and continued till he reached the street, where a large crowd had assembled to greet him. He was accompanied by his brothers and several intimate friends. Mr. Hagel and Mr. McCallie, who have so ably conducted the defence, were also warmly congratulated by their admirers.

## WINNIPEG'S FAIR.

Financial Statement—Next Year's Exhibition Will Begin July 22nd.

Winnipeg Nov. 8.—A meeting of the Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition board was held yesterday afternoon with the following gentlemen present: Messrs. Wm. Brydon F. W. Thompson, L. A. Hamilton, D. Smith, A. Strang, G. F. Galt, G. F. Bryan, G. H. Grieg, Ald. J. G. Harvey, I. M. Ross and Manager F. W. Heubach.

A detailed statement of the affairs of the association was presented by the chairman of finance, which was ordered to be incorporated and printed in the annual report. The position of the association may be summed up shortly as follows, as on the 31st December next: Total receipts, \$45,292.35; total disbursements, \$44,053.57. To the latter must be added, had accounts, \$40; unpaid accounts, \$509.00; unforeseen liabilities and estimated expenses to the 1st December, 1899, \$110 total, \$45,73.17, which would leave an estimated balance at the end of the year, in hand, of \$1,589.18.

There was report on improving the exhibition grounds and premises, which belong to the city of Winnipeg, the sum of \$3,713.54, and \$1.65 was repaid to the city on account of debenture loan and interest, making a total capital expenditure paid from current revenues of \$5,263.54. The sketch for next year's calendar was adopted, and will be ready for distribution early in the year. It is claimed to be without exception, the most artistic hanger the association has yet issued.

The manager recommended that the dates for next year's fair be the week following the 22nd July, and in order to avoid the necessity of exhibitors being away from home a second Sunday he suggested that the live stock come in on the Friday and Saturday previous, and that the judging commence promptly on Monday morning. This arrangement will enable live stock exhibitors to leave for home again at 6 o'clock Friday of exhibition week. After a very full discussion this recommendation was accepted.

There will be a large increase asked in the appropriations for premiums and attractions for next year; in fact it is the intention of the directors to make the coming exhibition a Twentieth Century Fair in every respect.

## Veterinary Inspection.

Winnipeg, Nov. 9.—All horses for general purposes and ranches imported into Manitoba, the Northwest and British Columbia are now subject to inspection by veterinary surgeons appointed by the department of agriculture. In case of settlers' horses and horses for breeding the inspection fees are paid by the department. The fee for one horse is \$1 for two up to ten, the each eleven up to twenty, \$20 each, and twenty-one upwards, \$30. Full instructions, with prices for the inspection of sheep, swine and cattle have been forwarded to customs collectors.

## Highway Robbery at Melita.

Melita, Man., Nov. 9.—A case of assault and highway robbery took place in Melita last evening. Mr. W. Kenner, drayman, who was delivering eggs, was stopped after the arrival of the evening train, was met on a back street by two men, who, with the use of clubs, laid their victim out and made good their escape in the dark. Melita is without a constable, or in fact any means of protection. Consequently the villains are still at large.

Ashecroft, B.C., Nov. 9.—The largest gold brick ever melted in a Canadian mine, the value being slightly in excess of \$100,000, will shortly be sent down. It is from the Cariboo hydraulic mine and the wash up is said to be ahead of all mining records established hitherto in the Kootenay district.

## CONDENSED NEWS.

Saturday, November 11.

The Erin and Shamrock have reached the Asperes.

August Becker, the Chicago wife murderer, was hanged.

Trains will run between Columbia and Roseland next March.

The Jamaica plantations were passed by recent hurricanes.

Russian troops are said to be marching towards Afghan frontier.

The Empress of Japan carried over 800 passengers to the Orient.

Aurora council celebrated the 10th birthday of the I. O. O. F. in Manitoba.

\$50,000 fire visited Redwood, Ont.

Adrian Bism was killed, a falling train.

The British steamer Ascyrian arrived at Antwerp badly damaged by Atlantic hurricane.

Geo. Kruger, of Chicago, nephew of the Transvaal president, was married at Sault Ste. Marie.

Tenders for the British war fund treasury bills to the amount of \$3,000,000 were allotted.

Alfred Hannsforth, of the London Daily Mail, will challenge for the America cup next year.

The National Council of Women will help the Portland women to make fancy work for sale.

A new time card on the western division of the C. P. R. will probably go into effect next week.

Joe P. Lee, an ex-captain, the inventor of the Lee-Enfield rifle, was banquipped by his old friends.

The agreement with Germany and Britain, relating to South African territories, is of great advantage to Rhodesia.

Friday, November 10.

Lord Pauncefote has arrived in New York.

Iron. Mr. Patterson addressed the electorate at Grenfell.

Rubien has posted a forfeit for a fight with Jeffries.

Admiral Dewey and Mrs. Hazen were married in Washington.

The gold output at Atlin this season is placed at \$2,000,000.

The friends of Walter 75th birthday was celebrated in London.

Ocean liners are delayed in arrival at Montreal owing to heavy fogs.

Twenty cases of scaphitis have been discovered in Essex county, Ont.

"Kid" McCoy knocked out Jack McDonough, of St. Paul, in Buffalo.

E. Varcoe, the Toronto merchant, shot by burglars, has died from his injuries.

A gang of Boston counterfeiters have a scheme to flood Canada with spurious coin.

E. Cook, of the C. P. R., was seriously injured at Grenfell while coupling cars.

Many ex-members of the mounted police desire to enlist in a South African corps.

A direct steamship line between Chicago and Montreal is soon to be established.

Ten persons were seriously injured and three fatally in a railway wreck in Michigan.

Canadian grain and beans are wanted to feed the famine sufferers of Katni province, India.

Thursday, November 9.

David Bloom escaped from Brandon jail.

The license for Admiral Dewey's wedding has been issued.

A small party of Irish servant girls is en route to Western Canada.

George Gouin, recently shot at Calgary, is in a precarious condition.

W. Kenner, a resident of Melita, Man., was clubbed and robbed by two men.

Mrs. Logan, wife of H. J. Logan, M. P., died suddenly at Cumberland, N. S.

Joe W. Anderson was declared "not guilty" by the jury on the Molson's bank trial.

W. P. Shaw, who walked into the fly wheel of the Brandon electric works, is dead.

Edie McElroy has reduced the one, three mile bicycle record to 27.25 minutes.

The embargo on Canadian cattle ships into Belgium will be removed on Monday.

A gold brick, valued at \$100,000, will shortly be sent down from the Cariboo hydraulic mine.

The czar and Czarina of Russia paid a friendly visit to the emperor of Germany at Potsdam.

J. W. Blair was found guilty of criminal assault on a 19 year old girl at the Winnipeg assizes.

Wednesday, November 8.

Vice-President Hobart is still alive, but sinking.

The Canadian front exhibit at the Paris exposition will include 2,000 acres.

It is believed the Territorial elections will be held after the next session.

Sir Charles Tupper addressed a meeting at Montreal on political economy.

Another lady doctor was admitted to the practice in British Columbia.

Seven immigration agents in a row have been found guilty of robbing sheep.

Fifty people were drowned or injured in the destruction of a theatre at London, England.

While hunting in a Mississippi state swamp, Hunter Johnston discovered gold.

Mining operators are leaving the Colorado district owing to the prevailing drought.

Jeffries, the prize fighter, and his brother, have been arrested for violating the Portland law.

Three civil and three criminal cases were considered by the grand jury at the Fortage in Prairie provinces.

Tuesday, November 7.

Half a million dollar fire visited the business district of Kansas City.

Two men were seriously injured in an explosion in an Ottawa carbide factory.

It is said that Justice Giesbe has been asked to resign to become conservative leader in Quebec.

A meeting of the Northwestern Canadian association for the women's organization, was held at Montreal.

Severies of Irish members on the South African war are alienating the support of the Irish from some.

Japan's latest war spent a long time in the direction of Russian aggression in northeastern Asia.

Major General, laterally, of Dragoon corps fame, was sentenced by default to three years' imprisonment for treason.



A BOER GENERAL INSPECTING HIS VOLUNTEERS IN THE TRANSVAAL.

These are the men British troops must face in their great war upon Oom Paul's republic. They are not showy, as they appear in the accompanying sketch, made by the Johannesburg artist of The Illustrated London News, but they are pluck personified, and they can shoot to kill. The Field Cornet's couriers have already ridden throughout the republic, and thousands of Boer sharpshooters are armed to the teeth.



MAP OF THE TRANSVAAL NATAL BORDER.

Natal, the British possession, extends to the very border of the Transvaal and is threatened on the west by the Orange Free State. When hostilities were first looked for, the armies of the Transvaal and Orange Free State were concentrated on the borders near Natal. Charlton is the most northerly British town in Natal. Between Charlton and Laingsnek is a railway tunnel 2,215 feet long. Charlton was formerly the terminus of the railway, which now extends to Johannesburg. Near Charlton are Laingsnek and Majuba Hill, scenes of former British reverses. Natal was settled by Boers in 1835, and in 1843 it became a British colony. The train from Charlton into the Transvaal passes near the graves of General Sir George Colley and Colonel Deane, who fell during the British rout on Majuba Hill in 1856.



A FAMILY OF BOER SHARPSHOOTERS AND PRESIDENT KRUGER.

"Oom Paul" Kruger, the shrewd president of the South African Republic, was born in the Transvaal 74 years ago and has been president since 1862. The Boer army is small. There are only about 20,000 men of military age, but every man and boy is a crack shot as the British learned to their cost at Krugersdorp, Laingsnek and Majuba Hill. The accompanying cut shows a typical Boer family group, every male member being a sharpshooter.

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ROSCOE E. LAW,  
EDITOR AND MANAGER.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1899.

"Let us have faith that right makes might; and in that faith let us dare to do our duty as we understand it."

OUR HERITAGE.

We have had frequent occasion to feel, during the past year, that Qu'Appelle district was not receiving the attention that it deserved from outsiders and would-be settlers. We were fully aware that this was due to the neglect on the part of the residents in the district in making known the wonderful possibilities this country possesses. With this knowledge in mind we have labored faithfully to advertise its advantages, and we believe with some degree of success. But, after all, our efforts alone cannot accomplish all that could be wished. If every private citizen and every business man was ever ready to speak a good word for the district and report to us for publication any item of interest which would show forth what is being done in business lines it would help materially. Then, too, striking advertisements, not of one or two inches but one, two or three columns would not only give rich returns in trade but would show to outsiders that the district was alive and a place in which to make money, and would prove a drawing card in more ways than one. The great difficulty is that many do not realize the advantages of their own district. We have a rich wheat-growing, cattle-raising district, plentifully wooded and watered, which only needs to be made known to draw settlers. Casting aside all purely selfish motives we should work for the benefit of the community, thereby benefitting ourselves and in the spirit of "live and let live," help to build up one of the fairest and most promising portions of our glorious country.

SOUTH QU'APPELLE COUN.  
CIL.

As the present council have but one more meeting before a new election takes place it is worth while considering their record for the past year. A feeling existed at the time of their election that they would prove incompetent to fill the position of honor to which they had been nominated. The very beginning, however, showed them to be men of ability and would to work with energy and to do their duty. At the first meeting a discussion was held and the House broke up. This has quelled the feeling of a "how-to" by anyone with a notion of the

municipality who desired to sell horses in the municipality, or the payment of a fee for every horse sold. We have never been in favor of this measure on principle, but so far as we have been able to learn the by-law has done no harm and the evils to arise therefrom were exaggerated.

The next move was to bring in a measure providing for a statute labor tax in lieu of the old statute labor system. Again opposition was heard on all sides and some very silly arguments were made against it. In spite of this the by-law passed and came into force this year. It is too early yet to point with much emphasis to its results, but in the course of a couple of years when new roads are opened up and old ones improved throughout the municipality at less cost than under the old system the rate-payers will undoubtedly vote it a success as has been done time and again elsewhere.

The Council are to be commended also for their broadmindedness in connection with the mill question.

Having the best interests of the community at heart they have used no means to block this undertaking, but rather have aided it by all lawful means, thus carrying out the wishes of the majority. At present writing the success of the mill seems assured and if so it will ensure better prices to the farmers for grain and lower rates for flour without the addition of a heavy burden of taxes as when the mill was first operated.

The energy displayed in regard to noxious weeds should also gain for them the thanks of all right thinking electors.

We shall have occasion to refer to the finances of the municipality and the probable candidates in a future article.

NOTES.

"Experiments in Pork Production" is the title of a bulletin lately issued by the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. It contains a full report of the work done in this line at the Experimental Farm at Ottawa for the past eight years and is well worthy of study by all swine breeders. We recommend it to the farmers in this neighborhood.

The reports to date regarding the war in South Africa point to an early turn in the tide, as each day sees fresh troops arriving at Cape Town and Durban. Though General Buller's plans are not known it is believed that he will lead 20,000 men to the relief of Ladysmith at the earliest possible moment. It was expected that the British would suffer reverses at first, but if the troops at Ladysmith, Mafeking and Kimberley can hold out for a few days longer victory will be assured. The strict censorship of the press makes little news obtainable, and what there is for the most part unreliable. The Boers are proving much stronger than was expected, but the British are putting forth extra effort and in a short time 35,000 men will be on the spot ready to meet their foes and avenge previous losses.

COUNCIL MEETING.

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Council of the Municipality of South Qu'Appelle, held in the Council chamber, Monday, Nov. 6th, 1899.

Present, the Reeve and Couns. Jones and Doody.

Minutes of last meeting were read and on motion of Councillors Jones and Doody were adopted.

On motion of Couns. Doody and Jones the meeting adjourned until 1.30 p.m.

After adjournment the council resumed with the Reeve in the chair and Couns. Jones, Doody and Shaw.

Minutes D. Moore and A. D. Doody were present, asking permission to interview the council with reference to the mill.

Mr. Doody also interviewed the council with reference to the House by-law and in particular to the sale of a horse and land, the

property of Mr. C. Fetherstonhaugh. The following communications were received:—W. McFarlane, re taxes; P. Mang, secretary of S. D. No. 101, re taxes on No. 1 of 7, 19, 16; H. Gathridge, re road work; Attorney-General re Order-in-Council regarding the mill by-law; L. A. Hamilton re Townsite Trustees' Assessment; F. Amas, pound-keeper, report of pound sales; Secy-treas. statement of balance on hand Nov. 1st.

Accounts were received from the following:—J. J. Bell, work on Spencer's dam, \$25.00; MacCaul & Harvey, lumber, \$108.16; Willoughby & Duncan, lumber, \$57.40; Election expenses, re mill by-law, \$56.30; weeds destroyed in district No. 2, \$2.75; S. H. Caswell & Co., \$3.10; Progress printing account, \$93.70; J. P. Beachamp & Co., F. Amas, salaries, \$21.25; W. G. Vickers, September report, \$180.75; October report, \$179.00; F. Amas, September report, \$10.50; October report, \$4.25.

The committee of F. A. and S. reported as follows:—We, your Committee of F. A. and S., recommend as under, that the following accounts be paid:

J. P. Beachamp & Co., \$3.75; S. H. Caswell & Co., \$3.10; MacCaul & Harvey, \$108.16; Willoughby & Duncan, \$57.40; roadwork report of Overseer Vickers, September, \$120.75; October, \$179.00; roadwork report of Overseer Amas, September, \$10.50; October, \$4.25; J. J. W. Bell, repairing Spencer's dam, \$25.00; F. Amas, 3 months salary road overseer, \$10.00; 3 months salary F. H. and S. Inspector, \$6.25; caretaker's salary, \$5.00; pulling weeds on townsite, 75 cents; THE PROGRESS, printing, July 10th to September 22nd, \$93.70; expenses the Reeve to Regina, re mill by-law, \$4.60; expenses of Coun. Doody to Regina, \$3.60; election expenses, re mill by-law, \$56.30; C. W. Cates, pulling weeds n.e. 22, 17, 15, \$2.00.

Messrs. Amas' and Cates' accounts re pulling weeds, to be paid from Noxious Weeds fund and charged against the lands named.

We also recommend that a cheque be drawn in favor of C. Fetherstonhaugh, re fund of proceeds of sale of horse in pound, \$26.35.

Further that the monthly statement of Secretary-Treasurer J. C. Shaw, showing balance on hand of \$294.75, be received and filed.

All of which is respectfully submitted, J. P. JONES, Chairman.

The Secy-treas. statement of balance on hand Nov. 1st:—General fund \$109.56, mill bonus, \$28.80; noxious weeds, \$24.30; pound stock sale \$35.20; S. D. No. 2, \$208.48; S. D. No. 43, \$32.84; S. D. No. 61, \$5.89; S. D. No. 174, \$86.88; S. D. No. 241, \$7.00; S. D. No. 327, \$27.92; S. D. No. 356, \$20.16; S. D. No. 357, \$4.50. Overseer's accounts, statute labor, \$120.08; cemetery fund, \$1.80; S. D. No. 35, \$4.08. Total, \$1216.96. Balance on hand, \$294.75. J. C. SHAW, Secy-treas.

Jones—Shaw—That the report of F. A. and S. committee be received and adopted, and that the Reeve and Secy-treas. be hereby authorized to settle accounts in payment of the above accounts therein. Carried.

Doody—Jones—That the report of F. Amas, pound-keeper, be received and filed. Carried.

Shaw—Doody—That the communication of the Attorney-General with enclosed Order-in-Council regarding by-law No. 281 be received and filed. Carried.

Doody—Jones—That the Secy-treas. be authorized to issue a suitable reply to the communications of H. Gathridge and W. McFarlane. Carried.

The meeting then adjourned till 7 p. m. The council resumed after adjournment, present the Reeve and Couns. Jones and Doody.

Doody—Jones—That the Council go into committee of thanks on Voters' List. Carried.

Minutes of Coun. of Regina on Voters' List.

Doody—Jones—That the Voters' List as submitted by the Secy-treas. be and the same is hereby constituted the Voters' List for the ensuing year, and the Secy-treas. is hereby authorized to certify the same and attach the seal of the corporation. Carried.

Jones—Doody—That the Council of noxious weeds fund be carried.

The council resumed with the Reeve in the chair.

Jones—Doody—That the Reeve and Secy-treas. be authorized to issue cheques in payment in full of accounts as under. Carried.

Jones—Doody—That the Secy-treas. be requested to instruct the Inspector of Stables to make a thorough inspection of the town and have a license removed before winter set in. Carried.

Jones—Doody—That the Secy-treas. be authorized to issue cheques on account of the above accounts as under. Carried.

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### PLACING BIG GUNS IN THE HILLS AROUND LADYSMITH.

It is Said Gen. Buller Will Begin the Campaign Before Christmas—Delayed Dispatches.

London, Nov. 12.—Complete silence has again fallen on affairs in South Africa. The British public must be content with the brief, stereotyped report which the censor allows to filter through from Cape Town. That this condition of things is no longer due to pressure of work or defective cables has been amply proved. The Eastern Telegraph company reckons that the real delay in transmission is about two days. It is evident, therefore, that the censor is responsible for the other two days of delay, which seems to befall the dispatches.

This morning, however, the Daily Telegraph announces that its "appropriated" dispatch from Ladysmith, dated Monday, which the war office published on Tuesday, was not delivered in Fleet street until yesterday morning. It is believed that the war office received further dispatches last evening, but nothing has been published.

At a banquet in the city of London yesterday, the Duke of Cambridge, speaking on the war, said: "We ought never to have allowed ourselves to be in the position in which the outbreak of war found us. I could cry over the valuable lives which might have been spared had we been better prepared."

It is said that Gen. Buller expected to commence the campaign before Christmas and it now looks as though this would be the case. Certainly, no artillery can reach Durban before November 14, and without additional guns, an advance from Estcourt would be impossible.

The statement from Ladysmith that the British guns do not reply to the Boer artillery because the concrete beds for the guns have not yet hardened, is interpreted in some quarters to mean simply that the British are hoarding their ammunition as the Boer fire is only a trick to get the British to waste shells.

Among the few items that have arrived from the Cape today is one saying that the Boers are planting heavy guns in the hills surrounding Ladysmith. All the correspondents in the beleaguered town are safe, and anxious to reopen communication.

A gentleman who visited Nicholson's Nek after the engagement counted twenty-five killed and seventy-one wounded.

The latest advices from Kimberley, dated November 2, say that all was well there then. An explosion had been heard, and the supposition was that the Boers had blown up the rail-way culvert south of Dronfield.

The Belgian government, it is said, has warned Dr. Leyds, whose headquarters is at Brussels, that Belgium is a neutral country.

A corps of engineers from Gibraltar will accompany the siege train to the Cape, and the men will be used in mounting the heaviest guns in embarras.

London, Nov. 12.—Tenders for £2,000,000 treasury bills, first instalment of the war fund, for the month of November, have been opened. The letter applications amounted to £10,721,000. The issue was allotted as follows: £2,000,000 at six months and £1,000,000 at twelve months. The average rate per cent. was £3 6s 3d for six months' bills, and £3 8s 6d for twelve months' bills.

The troopship *Albatross* sailed from Queenstown this evening for the Cape, carrying the Commaundant Ranges, the first battalion of the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, and a contingent of miscellaneous troops, altogether over 2,000 men, and a large quantity of stores. Crews witnessed and cheered the departure of the vessel.

London, Nov. 12.—The war office issued the following from Gen. Buller: "Cape Town, 12.40 p.m., by message from Durban, dated Nov. 3.—Small convoy and escort under Spekeby, of Pomer's force, attacked by Boers on Nov. 2nd, six men missing, loss conveyed."

Berlin, Nov. 12.—It is asserted that Major von Rittenstein, winner of the long dist. non-military race, from Berlin to Vienna, has gone to the Transvaal to join the Boers.

George Kruger Married.

Tetroit, Mich., Nov. 12.—Mr. Geo. A. Kruger, of Chicago, a nephew of President Kruger, the Transvaal republic, and Miss Bertha Bue, of Chicago, were married at St. Andrew's church, yesterday. The groom's age was recorded as 27 and the bride's as 21. That he should travel several hundred miles to be married on British soil at a time when Great Britain is endeavoring to put "Uncle Paul" out of business, young Kruger explained by saying that he was anxious to avoid the publicity that would be given to his marriage by the Chicago papers, which would get their tip from the publication of the license.

## Cecil Rhodes Captured.

He Falls Into the Enemy's Hands During the Fight at the Kimberley Sieges.

Paris, Nov. 11.—The *Figaro* asserts that Cecil Rhodes has been captured in one of the forts from Kimberley.

London, Nov. 11.—With the arrival at Cape Town of the British transports, *Roslyn Castle* and *Moore*, to be followed by a continuous succession of troop-ship arrivals, the real campaign in South Africa may be said to have commenced, and the fact that the former was ordered to proceed to Durban, together with, it is said, to indicate either an entire change or at least a modification in the plan of advance.

It seems that General Buller's first move will be to free General White, thus somewhat departing from the earlier plan credited to him of advancing through the level country of the Orange Free State and southwestern Transvaal. It has been apparent for some days that the situation at Ladysmith, could not be indefinitely prolonged, and it is understood, information has reached the government that the quiescence of the Boers will shortly be changed by the arrival of the siege train from Pretoria into a determined attempt to deliver a striking stroke. This, it is added, led Gen. Buller to prepare a counter stroke and endeavor to push the Boers back by a direct attack. Such an operation, if attempted, will, necessarily, entail great expenditure of life, as during the month the Boers have occupied the entire Natal, they have fortified most of the passes and other positions suitable to their style of fighting.

The activity at the war office is ceaseless. Lord Wolseley announced last night at the Guild Hall banquet that a division of ten thousand men would be sent to South Africa. These will replace the troops which will be diverted from Buller's army corps for the relief of Ladysmith, the earliest troops having been ordered already from Cape Town to Durban. The strength of this column will not be known until General Buller has had full opportunity of conferring with Major-General French at Cape Town, respecting the precise conditions of the Ladysmith garrison.

Buller's friends assert he will not take any risk, but will send in lower Natal a column strong enough to fight its way through and raise the siege. This will mean a detachment of 20,000 men from the army corps, and necessitates replacing them by reinforcements of equal strength from England. There are no signs of excitement or anxiety among the authorities of the war office. I was impressed yesterday with the tone of decision and calm confidence with which one of the highest officials forecasted the triumph of British arms.

### Wheat Grading Suit.

Portage la Prairie, Nov. 12.—At today's sitting of the court, the time was wholly taken up with the civil suit of Oliver vs. Gable, Harvey & Co. The point of dispute is over the grading of wheat. Oliver is a grain dealer and owns an elevator at Ochre River. Last spring he sold the grain in his elevator to Gable, Harvey & Co. who also have two cars loaded on route to Port William to Gable, Harvey & Co. of Dauphin, the grades guaranteed as No. 1 hard. On being inspected at Port William the two cars graded very low and defendants refused to pay the price of the high grade. The plaintiff now sues for the amount of money which the difference of grades would have given him. The case is still in progress. Mr. R. R. Kowally, inspector, from Port Arthur, was one of the witnesses called.

### Accidentally Shot.

Elm Creek, Man., Nov. 11.—George Moodie, 23 years of age, living two miles from Carman, met with a frightful accident this morning at 7.30. He took his gun to go shooting chickens and when a short time after he had the gun went off and blew out the side of his face. Dr. Cunningham, who was sent for and attended the young man, thinks he can live only a few hours.

### August Becker Hanged.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Albert August Becker, 28 years of age, who on Jan. 27 last murdered his wife and afterwards chopped up and buried the remains in order to dispose of them, was hanged in the county jail at 12.05 o'clock this afternoon. On the scaffold Becker protested his innocence and declared George Suterlin, the father of his second wife, was the real murderer.

Medicine Hat, Nov. 12.—The sad intelligence was communicated to the friends of Engineer Davis yesterday that his death had occurred shortly after noon. It is supposed he was struck by a No. 1 express while walking to the depot. He recently came from the east.

London, Nov. 12.—The *Shanghai* correspondent of the *Times* says: "There is some indication of increased friction between Russia and Japan. On the latter's activity in China and the northwestern provinces of China."

Berlin, Nov. 12.—The *St. Petersburg* correspondent of the *Local Anzeiger* repeats the report that the Russians are marching toward the Afghan frontier.

## A TRANSPORT ARRIVES

### YORKSHIRE REGIMENT REACHES SOUTH AFRICA.

Indications That the Boers are Preparing to Shell Ladysmith With Heavy Guns.

London, Nov. 10.—The British transport *Roslyn Castle*, with Gen. Hillyard and the staff of the Yorkshire regiment aboard, arrived at Cape Town. Four other transports sailed from England the same day, October 19. The *Roslyn Castle* was immediately ordered to proceed to Durban.

London, Nov. 10.—The scanty and conflicting news from the seat of war and the fact that General White has not yet said a word about the alleged fighting around Ladysmith are again producing a feeling of uneasiness. It may be that General White has sent word, and that General Buller has thought best to keep it to himself. Indeed, this is the version that is beginning to be believed, as it is believed that the news of heavy fighting brought by Kaffirs in such circumstantial detail cannot be wholly groundless. It cannot be long, however, before a change occurs. General Buller's forces will soon arrive at Durban, and will probably begin the advance to the relief of Ladysmith about November 13.

The Boers, if they ever entertained the idea of a real invasion of Cape Colony, have probably now abandoned it, and will devote their whole energies to reducing Ladysmith. They have only about a week in which to do this. The fact that they are rather inactive indicates that they are waiting for something which they feel sure will justify their delay. The latest Estcourt dispatches seem to hint that the garrison is about to retire further southwards.

Orders have been received at Wolseley and Devonport for the mobilization of a siege train, which it is supposed, is intended for the purpose of shelling Pretoria. The force manning it will approximate to the strength of eight batteries, and will consist of 22 officers and 1,104 non-commissioned officers and men. Its armament will be thirty Howitzer, fourteen 6-inch guns, eight 5-inch guns and eight 4-inch guns, the whole train weighing over 3,000 tons. This will be the first employment of a modernized siege train by an European army, and the progress of the reduction of the forts by Lyddite shell fire, as preliminary to storming by infantry, will be watched with interest and curiosity by all professional soldiers.

Three large steamers have just been chartered at Liverpool to convey the 16,000 troops of the division which Lord Wolseley yesterday announced will be mobilized. The transport *Arava* has been delayed by a disarrangement of her electrical plant. The disabled Persian will transfer her troops to the *Goth*, which will leave Southampton next Tuesday. A dispatch from Durban announces that Prince Victor of Schleswig-Holstein arrived there on Monday, and immediately proceeded on foot.

The correspondent of the *Daily Telegraph* at Pietermaritzburg and Ladysmith says they are all safe for some time to come. Owing to the fact that Ladysmith lies low, and the Boers, unlikely, have been permitted to occupy Mount Halban and other surrounding hills, attempts to open up heliographic communication has proved a failure.

The Cape Town correspondent of the *Standard* says: The ministerial papers are giving currency to infamous Boer charges of British brutality to prisoners and the treacherous use of the white flag. It is asserted that the British have bound prisoners to the wheels of Maxim guns and dragged them along.

From Port Elizabeth comes the intelligence that the customs officials there have seized a bale of new flags consigned to the Free State, consisting of Orange Free State colors with the Netherlands flag in the corner.

At Constantinople it is rumored that Lord Cromer, British diplomatic agent in Egypt, has received instructions to arrange with the Egyptian cabinet for the dispatch of 5,000 Egyptian troops to the Transvaal, but the reports is discounted here.

The London Times has the following dispatch from Lorenzo Marques, dated Nov. 6.—"The day is full of secret service police, getting information regarding the movements of the imperial service troops. The wire between Delagoa Bay and Pretoria was broken during the hurricane. It was not cut as was thought at first."

There is a Boer contingent of 750 men near Mount Halban and 1,000 women have been leaving Durban for Pretoria with news. Passes are too easily granted at Durban.

I understand that the contingent from Colenso is marching toward Graytown, and I hear on the best English authority that Johannesburg has been stripped of guns and men, the police force being composed of Russian Jews.

Smith's Falls, Nov. 10.—Wellington McWilliams was killed by the bursting of an emery wheel while at work in Frost & Wood's factory here today.

## WINNIPEG MARKETS.

Wheat—Manitoba No. 1 hard at Fort William, 67 1/2¢.

Flour—Gladwin's Hungarian patent, \$1.00; General, \$1.70; Manitoba strong bakers', 1.60; XXXX, \$1.15; Lake of the Woods patent, \$1.90, strong bakers', \$1.70; Meunier, \$1.60; XXXX, \$1.30 per sack of 48 pounds, delivered in Winnipeg.

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Oats—No. 1 white, 29 1/2¢; No. 2 white, 28¢, and feed grades, 27 to 28¢ on track here.

Barley—48 to 50¢ for feed; malting, 31 to 32¢, car lots.

Flax—At country points, \$1.15 per bushel.

Wheat—At country points, 54 to 58¢ per bushel.

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Butter—Creamery, 21¢ at the factories; dairy, 18¢ for finest grades.

Cheese—11¢ to 12¢ at the factories for Manitoba.

Eggs—Dealers paying 17¢ at country points.

Vegetables—Potatoes, 40¢ per bushel; carrots, 30¢ per bushel; turnips, 12 1/2¢ to 15¢ per bushel; beets, 25 to 30¢ per bushel; parsnips, 15¢ per pound; cauliflower, 60 to 75¢ per doz.; onions, 1¢ to 1 1/2¢ per pound; cabbage, \$10 to \$12 per ton; celery, 30¢ per dozen; pumpkins, 75¢ to \$1.50 per dozen; squash, 1¢ per pound; Hubbard, 1¢; marrow, 60 to 75¢ per doz.

Sauces—Roast—35¢ per pound.

Hides—Inspected hides, No. 1, 7 1/2¢; No. 2, 6 1/2¢; No. 3, 5 1/2¢. Branded hides grade No. 2, and bulls No. 3, 10¢; calf, 8 to 8 1/2¢; deerskins, 25 to 30¢ each; sheepskins, fresh killed, 50¢ each; country skins and lambs, 30¢ each; more hides, 30¢ to 75¢ each.

Wool—Unwashed Manitoba fleece, 7 to 8¢ per pound. None offered.

Dressed Meats—Beef, good to choice, 5 1/2¢ to 6 1/2¢; mutton, 9 to 9 1/2¢; lamb, 10¢; veal, 7 to 8¢; dressed hogs, 6 to 7¢ per pound butchers' price; packers', 6 1/2¢ for best weights.

Tallow—Turkeys, 12 1/2¢ to 13¢ per pound; dressed weight; geese, 10¢ per pound; chickens, 10¢ per pound; spring chickens, 10¢ per pound.

Game—Teal ducks, 15¢; fall ducks, 20 to 25¢; mallards, 30 to 40¢ per pair; small geese and waders, 50¢; large geese, 75¢.

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Cattle—Export steers, off cars, Winnipeg, 3 1/2¢ to 3 3/4¢; butchers' grades, 4 to 4 1/2¢.

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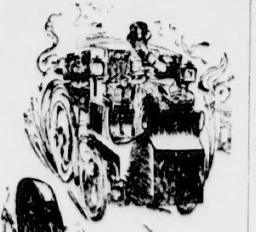
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##### Something Like a Pace.



"Oh, salman, you should go very slowly while passing a graveyard."  
"Gravestones? This ain't no graveyard; these are milestones."—West End.

#### MINARD'S LINIMENT Cures Dandruff

##### An Opportunity Lost.

Mabel—Cholly is awfully slow. Yesterday when he and I were walking in the woods I picked a big bunch of autumn leaves and stuck them in my belt.

Mabel—Why the stupid fool didn't have sense enough to press them.—New York Journal.

#### TRUE ELOQUENCE.

His Effect Upon an Oratorical Tenderfoot From the East.

"Talkin' about oratory," said Broncha Bob, "you ought to have been out to Crimmon Gulch last fall, so as to hear some of the real thing."

We have some pretty famous speakers in congress," ventured the man who felt it incumbent on him to show a little local pride.

"Not a circumstance, I've read some 'em too." A fellow come from the east an started in to tell Crimmon Gulch what it ought to do. Some of the boys allowed things was gettin' rather slack, an they says anything in good shape. So they took his advice an' blazed away an organized a city council."

"I see. You held an election?"

"Nary. We didn't want any blizzard. We just passed the word around that the city council was goin' to be held an' made it an open game. Everybody was there except Nevada Bill, an he didn't dare show up because he was under suspicion of sittin' in a poker game with a private stock of blue chips which he had bought unbeknownst from a store in San Antonio. It wasn't long until, under the instructions of the tenderfoot, we had the city council in good shape. Only officers was allowed to wear their weapons due in the proceedings, an nobody was barred from the debate. The first business we took up was the case of Nevada Bill. We reckoned that it wouldn't be no more than decent local pride to prevent the importation of any poker chips except by the duly recognized authorities for said importation. Rattlesnake Pete said the only way to make the law plain was to provide that anybody breakin' it should be shot at least once. The tenderfoot got filled in a minute. He jumped to his feet an' got off the most long winded talk about constitutional rights an' the rights of citizenship an' whereas an therefore that I ever heard. He talked hard, an he showed he had read books. But you or me have heard Three Finger Sam's historic reply. It jes' showed how quick a man who has the gift of positive eloquence can end an argument. Crimmon Gulch hasn't got through talkin' about it yet. Three Finger Sam drawed himself up to his full height an' plinted his finger at the tenderfoot. 'I don't desire to use no harsher words than is necessary,' says he, 'but I'd like to know what you mean, you low down, lop ear jack rabbit, by comin' into this town an' tryin' to tell us whether a man needs shootin' or not. Have we got to wait for some Intern jawed coyote to come wanderin' in off the prairie an' tell us what's good for us? Beware!' says Three Finger Sam, still plintin his finger an' growin' more eloquent every minute. 'Beware, you how-legged burro! Don't you think you can come here an' overawe people because you can speak. Have a care, or the first thing you know you'll be travelin' out of this town with a bunch of patriotic citizens on your trail, every one of whom is dead anxious to shoot a freckle off'n the back of your neck.' The tenderfoot didn't have another word to say, an he left town the next mornin'."—Washington Star.

#### His Good Eye.

It is a curious fact that the loss of any one of the five senses is atoned for to a considerable extent by a pronounced increase in the efficiency of the other senses. The result is sometimes astonishing.

A man who had lost the sight of both eyes trained his hearing until he could tell by the sound of his footsteps on the sidewalks, as he made his way about town, whether he was in the middle of the walk or at one side, whether he was walking past a brick or a frame house, or a fence, or over ground.

He knew in what part of the town he was, not only by his memory or sense of general direction, but by the difference in the "tones" of his footsteps, and he walked about freely, seldom running into anything or anybody.

Some one in his presence once called in question his total blindness.

"Which eye do you think I can see with?" he asked the skeptic.

"The left one, of course," was the reply. "I can see that the right one is blind."

In reply, the blind man merely opened his penknife and tapped the left eye with the little blade.

It was a glass eye.—Youth's Companion.

#### A Verdict.

"It is fully to be expected that—"

Such homogeneity as nature's laws—"

The sage may wish to mention—"

But people dodge who are him come.—Chicago Record.

## Agony of Eczema.

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## LOCAL NEWS

### Birthday Party.

Miss Lizzie Johnston gave a very pleasant birthday party on Monday night. She received many valuable gifts from her friends.

### Social Evening.

The Presbyterian church will hold a congregational social in the town hall next Tuesday evening to give the new arrivals in town a chance of getting acquainted, and to have a social time in general.

### Law Exams.

The following candidates wrote at Regina at the recent examinations held by the Territorial Law Society: Final—S. Herchmer of Regina and A. L. Gordon of Qu'Appelle; Intermediate—M. McCausland of Regina.

**Dentistry.**—Dr. Washington, dental surgeon, will be at the Leiland Hotel here on Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 28th and 29th. Teeth extracted without pain. Also lost artificial teeth inserted. Satisfaction guaranteed. Call early.

### Dance

The dance in the town hall last Thursday night, under the auspices of the Lawn Tennis Club, was not very largely attended, owing, in part no doubt, to the dirty weather. However a pleasant evening was spent by those who did attend.

### Fr. Qu'Appelle Show.

The North Qu'Appelle Agricultural Society will hold their annual Grain Show and Farmers' Re-Union in the town hall, Fort Qu'Appelle, to-morrow—Friday, Nov. 17th. A good show and a pleasant evening is expected.

### No Concert.

The night chosen for Miss LaDell's entertainment turned out a very unfavorable one for the people in the country getting in to hear her. Even the townspeople found their firesides more attractive than the chance of hearing this popular elocutionist. As a result such a small number showed up at the hall that the entertainment was declared off, and the money taken in for tickets was returned.

### Winnipeg Theatre.

The third regular winter season of the Winnipeg Theatre opened on the 31st of October. Judging from a programme of the attractions arranged for November and December, Manager Walker fully intends not only holding the position already secured by tact and enterprise, but means to use those qualities to make his theatre more popular than ever.

### PERSONALS

Mrs. James Balfour, of Wolseley is spending this week in town.

Mr. J. Mitchell, Superintendent of Creameries for Assiniboia, was in town on Saturday.

Rev. S. W. Thompson left on Monday night for Winnipeg to attend a meeting of the Synod.

Just Wilson, having resigned his position in the Wolseley drug store, returned home on Sunday morning.

W. Robinson, an ex-marine, was called out for the Tenthaval this week. He leaves on tonight's train.

We are sorry to have to record the serious illness of Mrs. Wilson. She was taken down on Sunday but has been a little better since. We hope that she may speedily recover.

### Hugh John Addresses A Qu'Appelle Audience.

A meeting was held in the town hall on Wednesday morning at 10:30 under the auspices of the Liberal Conservative Association. Dr. J. P. Creamer, president of the Qu'Appelle Liberal Conservative Association, introduced the speaker, Hon. H. J. Macdonald, and announced a business meeting at the close.

On rising Mr. Macdonald spoke fondly of the prospects for his party at the next election. He stated that the Liberal party had attained to power in 1886 by a Protestant policy in some provinces and a Roman Catholic policy in others. He did not think the school

question was settled satisfactorily.

The Liberal policy was a sectional one to suit the people they appealed to. They had not taken off the duty on lumber and agricultural implements, but by allowing iron to enter free had given manufacturers greater power than ever. He condemned their mode of dealing with the output of time from the penitentiary, thereby giving the manufacturers a monopoly. After noting the reduction on coal oil and the great increase on tobacco he claimed the Liberals had not fulfilled their pledges.

He then dealt with the Conservative pledge, re the Hudson Bay Railway, and promised that this pledge would be fulfilled when the opportunity occurred.

He criticized Sir Wilfred Laurier for not keeping his pledge, when he had such a favorable opportunity, by establishing preferential trade with Great Britain.

A vote of thanks was then passed unanimously in favor of the speaker and the meeting dispersed.

### A RAILROAD TO THE VALLEY.

Lebret, Nov. 13th.—A movement for the purpose of taking steps to secure a railroad from the main line at Indian Head to the Qu'Appelle Valley at Kelso or Lebret has been set on foot here. It is felt that if the government will encourage the project with a few thousand dollars sufficient can be raised by the voluntary subscriptions of farmers and others interested to make it to the interest of the Company to build such a line.

### McLean Station.

From another correspondent.]

Nov. 11.

Dame rumor says that the mayor of McLean has started a secret society, the members being composed of the town hall committee. We wish them every success in their new undertaking.

What is coming in very briskly. Why, the grain buyer goes without his dinner sometimes. Don't you Bert?

Mr. J. Plant's new residence is hardly completed yet.

The C. P. R. coal shed is booming these days. Not much sleep for Bernie and Wadash night or day.

Mr. B. Hyde has purchased a big dwelling-house in McLean. Bert must mean business.

The boys of Spenceville have started to visit McLean again. I wonder how it will end, Arch?

Mr. Wm. Stuart is still employed on the C. P. R., attending to McLean and Qu'Appelle water tanks.

Did you hear anything about the town hall that is to go up in McLean. We hope it will be a success, as McLean is in need of one.

Mr. Robert Evans has finished putting the cornice on his house, which much improves its appearance.

### BIRTH.

Wass.—At Edgeley, on Wednesday, Nov. 8th, the wife of William Wass, of a son.

### Stirring War Times.

You all want the latest and fullest war news. You will find it in the Winnipeg Tribune. Special arrangements have been completed by the Tribune to secure the very fullest and most reliable news from the seat of war in South Africa.

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### NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the South Qu'Appelle Agricultural Society will be held in the town hall on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, on the second day of December next for the purpose of winding up the business of the past year, and the election of officers, etc. By order, J. DOOLITTLE, Secy-Treas.

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